

Sirs,

I would like to voice my opinion on the dropping of Morse Code Requirements. I am not proficient in the use of code, but I feel it would be a mistake to completely do away with the Element 1 test. When working DX, or under less than optimum band conditions, Morse Code will get thru when nothing else will. Also working stations who do not speak English, or who have a strong accent, would be almost impossible, but Morse Code doesn't have accents. Please, Please reconsider the dropping of the Morse Code Requirements. If you must drop it for General class, at least keep it as a requirement for Extra. Thank you.

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